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CAPT. STRONG GONE AFTER TALKING OF KILLING HIMSELF.

Suffering Mentally and Physically from Philippine Wound, He Told His Lawyer He Had Lost All in Speculation and Was Tired of Life.

Lawyer Emanuel M. Friend is firmly convinced that Capt. Putnam Bradlee Strong has killed himself. That he and May Yohe, formerly Lady Francis Hope, and with whom he went to Japan, have parted there is no doubt. Miss Yohe admits this herself. She does not know where Capt. Strong is, and petulantly declares that she does not care. Before leaving the home he had established for Miss Yohe at Hastings-on-the-Hudson, Capt. Strong gave no intimation of his intention of remaining away.

Mr. Friend, who is May Yohe's attorney, is greatly worried over Capt. Strong's mysterious disappearance, and frankly admits that he believes he has committed suicide. He was in Mr. Friend's office less than a week ago and said then he was "sick and tired of life," and talked of killing himself.

Mr. Friend tried to cheer him up and he left apparently in better spirits. When seen by an Evening World reporter to-day Lawyer Friend made the following statement regarding Capt. Strong:

TALKED OF KILLING HIMSELF.

"I believe that Capt. Putnam Bradlee Strong has killed himself. He was in my office about a week ago and then he was greatly discouraged and spoke of doing away with himself. I do not recall his exact words, but it was apparent that he was thinking of doing away with himself. I tried to cheer him, but he was downcast and seemed to be without hope.

"HE HAD BEEN SPECULATING HEAVILY AND HAD LOST EVERYTHING. He told me he was absolutely broke. At the time I thought he would be watching, as I feared then that he would take his own life.

"I have heard nothing about him having taken his wife's jewels. If he did that, I did not know it. I know that he had nothing when he came to see me. As soon as I saw the first edition of The Evening World to-day and read of his strange disappearance I felt sure that he had killed himself.

"He was in that mood when I saw him, and I believe that he would have done it that day had I not talked to him the way I did. When he left he seemed brighter, but he said good by in such a manner as to leave with me the inference that it would be the last time I would say good by to him."

SHE DENIES THE JEWEL STORY.

Miss May Yohe, when asked whether or not a sensational story to the effect that Capt. Strong had disappeared with \$20,000 worth of her jewelry and pawned it, was true, made an emphatic and unequivocal denial. When called on the long-distance telephone and asked if this was Miss Yohe, she replied:

"THIS IS MRS. STRONG. I AM GREATLY SURPRISED AND INDIGNANT AT THE STATEMENT THAT CAPT. STRONG HAS TAKEN MY JEWELS. NONE OF THEM IS MISSING, AND NEITHER CAPT. STRONG NOR ANY ONE ELSE HAS PAWNED THEM. I HAVE ALL OF THEM.

"When Capt. Strong left here he did not leave a note saying that he was going away. In fact, he gave neither my mother nor myself any intimation that he contemplated leaving.

"The assertion that I have stated that he left here because of being involved financially is utterly without foundation. Capt. Strong left here on Tuesday and all of us expected that he would return that night. He did not and we have not seen him since."

Mrs. Yohe, the mother of Miss May Yohe, came to the city this morning from the cottage at Hastings-on-the-Hudson, and went directly to Lawyer Friend's office in the Fultz Building.

She asked Mr. Friend if he had any information regarding Capt. Strong. He could give her absolutely no information of any kind. He is at a loss to account for Capt. Strong's disappearance in any way except that he has killed himself.

WISHES HE HAD KILLED HIMSELF.

Mrs. Yohe was quite indignant at Capt. Strong having left their home without giving any intimation of what he purposed doing.

"I don't know whether or not he has killed himself," declared Mrs. Yohe. "I wish though that he had killed himself a long while ago. It would have saved both my daughter and myself much embarrassment. He has not taken any of my diamonds. That statement is absolutely untrue.

"Neither of us has any information about him and from his treatment I do not expect to receive any. I called on Mr. Friend hoping that he might know where he was. He assured me that he knew nothing of Capt. Strong's whereabouts."

CAPT. STRONG AND MAY YOHE END JAPANESE ROMANCE.

Capt. Putnam Bradlee Strong and May Yohe have parted. He has disappeared and not even Miss Yohe knows where he has gone. Capt. Strong's friends have become so anxious regarding him that the Pinkerton Detective Agency has been employed to search for him.

Last Tuesday he left the pretty cottage at Hastings-on-the-Hudson, where, with Miss Yohe and her mother, he has been living since his return from Japan. Since that time not a word has been heard from him by either Miss Yohe or her mother. They do not know where he is or that he will ever return. That he intended to be gone for some time is shown by the fact that he took his

trunk with him. On last Tuesday morning he drove down to the station and took the 9.15 o'clock train for New York.

Capt. Strong's friends are much concerned over his disappearance and are fearful that he has either met with an accident or that some accident has happened to him. They say that he has lately been troubled by the wound he received in the Philippines and that it is possible that his mind may have become affected because of the intense pain.

Capt. Strong's best friends, however, scout the idea that he would wilfully injure himself. They be-

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Who Pay Personal Taxes

And who do not. Some light on this in a list of a couple of thousand instances taken from the recently completed tax list of this city. See tomorrow's New York Times. Order to-day.

Leave New York 1.55 P. M., Arrive Chicago 5.55 A. M. The Pennsylvania Special, via Pennsylvania Railroad. Dining car, buffet smoking car.

15,000 FANS GREET THE NEW GIANTS; MEXICAN'S \$15,000 PRODUCE STAKES.

M'GRAW'S MEN SCORE IN FIRST.

Then the Philadelphia Sluggers Get Their Eyes on the Ball and Hammer Out Four Runs, to the Consternation of the Crowd.

The Batting Order.
New York. Philadelphia.
McGraw, ss. Barry, rf.
Johann, 1b. Hulswitt, ss.
McGinn, 2b. Doolin, c.
Lauder, 3b. Jennings, 1b.
Smith, 2b. White, rf.
Washburn, rf. Felix, 3b.
Brenahan, c. Childs, 2b.
McGinnity, p. Iberg, p.

(Special to The Evening World.)
POLO GROUNDS, July 19.—Tempted by the bait of good baseball with the hall-mark of a \$50,000 deal back of it, 15,000 spectators journeyed to the Polo Grounds this afternoon to welcome the new Giants.

Fifteen thousand pairs of lungs yelled welcome to McGraw, McGinn, McGinnity and Brenahan when they stroled out for practice. The brutal past was forgotten. Every one had a handicap and a cheer for the new Giants, and the welkin—or that part of it adjacent to the home's Dam—rang with unusual plaudits.

McGraw's presence was new life to the Giants. They frisked like colts in the preliminary warm-up. The play was raged but earnest. Now nervous, again brilliant, but always fast and life-like in a way that reminded the fires of hope in fandom.

McGraw and McGinn made all the good plays in the preliminary.

McGinn's Brilliant Work.
Big Dan had a fashion of taking the cross-diamond rifle shots with a crooked elbow, and his one-hand reaches were ferocious. It looked good to see little Brenahan at the plate putting the ball to second with direction and speed.

Old George Smith frisked about as if shedding the managerial toga was equal to an injection of oil of youth. McGinnity, the Iron Man, warmed up for the edification of his new admirers and opened their eyes with a fine new line of risers and drops that made trouble for the Quakers.

But the Giants had no comfortable out for Iberg. He had the slow and terrible drop, was scheduled to serve the puzlers to them. Every one turned up a walk, Iberg's fault when Emma yelled: "Play ball!"

First Inning.
"Back to Philadelphia for you," yelled the fans in unison when Thomas struck out, but the fans only groaned when Barry got a walk. Hulswitt fanned, then Laudier clung to Doolin's pop fly. No runs.

The crowd was wild when Jones drew a pass to first, and when McGraw went to the bat the stands fairly shook with applause. The new manager made a neat punt that sent Jones to second, although he was thrown out by Iberg.

While Hulswitt was throwing McGinn out Jones went to third. It was a fine exhibition of the hit-and-run game. Brodie bounced a safety over Berg's head, and Jones scampered home. Brodie stole third, but he got no further, for Felix threw Laudier out. One run.

Second Inning.
McGraw was on the spot to take Jennings's pop. Douglas batted in White's place and the best he could do was to walk. Iberg was forced him, then Felix gave a neat club-swinging act. No runs.

Smith could not connect with Iberg's slow ones and went back and set down. Washburn walked to first, but Brenahan's curve, Thomas's nap was too good for him. Iberg's pop fly, then Felix gave a neat club-swinging act. No runs.

Third Inning.
Childs kept up the Quakers' order. He popped a fly and McGinn got it. Iberg earned a base on his knock to right. Thomas got a walk due to Emma's poor judgment. The sun lost the ball from Barry's bat to Jones for a minute, but Jimmy got it all right. Hulswitt's slow hit earned him a base, and the bases were filled. Doolin's safety pass McGraw sent Berg and Thomas home. Jennings's nap took a bound from McGraw and it was scored as a single. Iberg sent Hulswitt home. Douglas cracked out a safety, too, and Doolin tramped across the field. Washburn took Felix's fly. Four runs.

McGraw and the ball into Childs's hands. The same Quaker helped to dispossess McGinn. Brodie lifted a fly into Thomas's hands. No runs.

Smith got Childs's bounce after some difficulty, and threw the Quaker out. Iberg stirred the breeze in trying to hit McGinn's curve. Thomas's nap was too good for him. Iberg's pop fly, then Felix gave a neat club-swinging act. No runs.

Felix to Jennings was the way Laudier tried to steal second he was caught by Iberg and that was his finish. Washburn to third. Jones fanned. No runs.

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To California, Returning Over

Pennsylvania Railroad Tour August 2 to 21. Round trip ticket \$50. Special train.

Makes Time for the Business Man The Pennsylvania Railroad 20-hour train to Chicago. Leave New York 1.55 P. M. daily.

BROOKLYN VS. BOSTON SCORE BY INNINGS.

BOSTON	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0
BROOKLYN	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0

NEW YORK LOSES SCORE BY INNINGS.

PHILADELPHIA	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4
NEW YORK	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0

At Pittsburg—Chicago, 0; Pittsburg, 5.
At St. Louis—End of second: Cincinnati, 0; St. Louis, 2.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

At Philadelphia—Cleveland, 3; Philadelphia, 9.
At Boston—Chicago, 0; Boston, 2.
At Baltimore—Detroit, 1; Baltimore, 2.

LATE WINNERS AT BRIGHTON BEACH.

Seventh Race—Obia 1, Animosity 2, Potente 3.

LATE RESULTS AT WASHINGTON PARK.

Third race—Gold Bell 1, Watkins 2, Tom Cogan 3.

AT ST. LOUIS.

Third Race—Hucena 1, Brown Vail 2, Balloon 3.
Fourth Race—Miss Goughly 1, Schwalbe Farther 2, Wentker

STRONG WAS TO HAVE MARRIED MAY YOHE.

Statements were made this afternoon by friends of Capt. Putnam Bradlee Strong, to the effect that the "surprise" he spoke of when he and May Yohe returned to this country was their wedding, which had been planned for Sept. 26.

FIVE KILLED, FIFTEEN INJURED, IN A STORM.

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 19.—A Chesterville (Cnt.) despatch reports that five people were killed and fifteen badly injured in a terrible storm in that vicinity last night.

BELGENLAND WAS 4 DAYS ADRIFT.

One Ship Refused Assistance to Disabled Steamer—Towed Into Halifax.

(Special to The Evening World.)
HALIFAX, N. S., July 19.—The American line steamship Belgenland, which left Philadelphia July 5 for Queenstown and Liverpool, was towed in here to-day by the British steamship Scholair.

The Belgenland has a broken shaft. All on board are well. The Scholair was bound from Galveston for Liverpool when she picked up the disabled steamer.

The Belgenland has 129 first-class and 74 second-class passengers on board. She was taken in tow by the Scholair last Sunday at 4.30 A. M. The Belgenland was in the vicinity of the Western Islands when her shaft broke.

The passengers included members of the A. S. School of Buffalo, Judge Lee, President and Right Rev. Mr. Eusembach, and Henry Hanby Hay, connected with Girard College, Philadelphia.

Mr. Hay said: "At 10.30 Wednesday night most of the passengers had retired when there came a sudden crash. It seemed as if something was tearing out the ship's vitals. This was followed by thirty heavy strokes, as of giant waves. The ship trembled from stem to stern.

"We learned later that the intermediate shaft, which weighed some seven and half tons, had broken, and also broke the steam steering gear. The discipline was perfect.

"With the first crash the stewards assured the passengers there was no danger.

The captain said: We have broken our shaft, but we shall mend it. The ship is perfectly sound and we are in no danger.

Mr. Sinclair, the plucky second engineer, jacked up the ends of the shaft, which had fallen, and fastened them with steel bands. On deck the great steel stern hawser was dragged out and greased and boats uncovered and provisioned.

On board the Belgenland was a party of tourists traveling under arrangements made by Thomas Cook & Son. On receipt of news of the accident the firm arranged to have the Vadorland call at Halifax and sail with the party for Southampton, from which point the tour will be carried out as originally planned.

W. R. CONDON TAKES THE SECOND RACE.

Evening World Picks Them One, Two, Three in Big Event—Star Chamber is First in the Chantilly Hurdle Stakes.

(Special to The Evening World.)

BRIGHTON BEACH RACE TRACK, July 19.—The Produce Stakes, of \$15,000, for two-year-olds, ran the first time to-day, was the feature at Brighton Beach this afternoon. While it was to be regretted that the field was very small, it was nevertheless strictly first class, and the crowd prepared to see a stirring struggle. Few two-year-olds outclass Mexican and Hurst Park. Handicappers rate them only a few pounds apart.

McGrath and Prince were very interesting, and all in all it was one of the best cards of the meeting. The attractiveness of it drew out a splendid crowd. The weather, though cloudy, was pleasant and cool and the track was in perfect condition.

FIRST RACE.
The Chantilly Stakes, for four-year-olds and upward, mile and three-quarters.

Starters, whts., jocks. St. Half Fin. St. Place.
Star Chamber, 14, Mar. 2 1/2 13 1/2 13
Charawind, 10, Mon. 3 2 1/2 15 5 4 5
McGrath Prince, 11, Heller 1 1/2 3 1/2 16 3
Semper Ira, 16, Barrow 5 2 1/2 19 8 6
Marlander, 12, O'Neill 4 5 6 20 4

Start good. Won easily. Time—3:14.35.

McGrath and Prince made the running, followed in close order by Charawind and Semper Ira. They ran this way for a mile. Then Star Chamber moved up and, taking the lead, won easily by a neck. Charawind was six lengths in front of McGrath and Prince.

SECOND RACE.

For two-year-olds, selling, five furlongs.

Starters, whts., jocks. St. Half Fin. St. Place.
W. R. Condon, 10, Smith 5 1 1/2 13 5 3
Mt. Hope, 10, Redfern 2 1/2 14 13 5 even
Amorus, 10, Martin 3 1 3 8 4
Joan A. Scott, 10, Rice 4 4 10 4 10
Naxos, 10, Winder 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Mendenhall, 10, McAdams 8 6 9 10 4 9
Ring Dove, 12, Shaw 6 10 7 12 4 5
Nora, 12, Woodard 12 8 12 12 8 8
Damon, 10, Odom 1 8 9 20 8
Squid, 10, Miles 9 9 11 20 12
Full Back, 10, Winder 9 9 11 20 12
Miss Goss, 9, Mulholland 12 12 10 40
Barkum, 10, Bullman 12 12 10 40
Australia, 10, O'Connor 7 14 20 20
Gentry, 10, Jackson 5 7 10 20 20

Start good. Won easily. Time—1:15.5.

Amorus made the running, followed by Mount Hope, Squid and John A. Scott. They held this order to the turn, where Mr. Hope went to the front and led into the stretch. There W. R. Condon closed, and in a hot drive won by a head from Mr. Hope, who was a length in front of Amorus.

THIRD RACE.

For three-year-olds and upward, selling, mile and a furlong.

Starters, whts., jocks. St. Half Fin. St. Place.
Swiftmas, 10, Jackson 4 2 1/2 14 7 2 8 5
Leonid, 10, Martin 3 1/2 14 7 2 8 5
Pish, 10, Redfern 2 1/2 14 7 2 8 5
Belario, 10, Michael 6 2 1/2 14 7 2 8 5
Alek, 10, Treanor 8 8 10 12 6
Operator, 10, Rice 7 6 10 12 6 3 even
Black Dick, 10, Gannon 5 7 10 12 6 3

Start good. Won easily. Time—1:53.

Swiftmas went to the front at flagfall and made the running with himself. Belario laid away a couple of lengths for half a mile, and then moved up to even terms with the leaders. They raced head and head to the stretch, where Leonid closed strong. Swiftmas drew away in the run home, however, and won a good race by a length and a half from Leonid, who was two lengths in front of Pish.

FOURTH RACE.

The Produce Stakes, for two-year-olds, six furlongs.

Starters, whts., jocks. St. Half Fin. St. Place.
Mexican, 11, O'Connor 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
Hurst Park, 11, Shaw 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2
Toucan, 12, Barrow 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3
"Capped in straight stretch. Time—1:12.35.

Mexican went away with a flying start and taking an advantage of two lengths was never caught, winning easily by three lengths from Hurst Park, who was second and hard driven all the way. Injunction was four lengths away.

FIFTH RACE.

For three-year-olds and upward, selling, mile and a furlong.

Starters, whts., jocks. St. Half Fin. St. Place.
Early Eve, 10, Redfern 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
The Regent, 10, Shaw 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2
Numerical, 9, Holden 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8
Alek, 10, Treanor 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8
Waterloo, 10, Bulman 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7
Hum, 10, Gannon 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6
Golden Cottage, 10, O'Connor 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5
Bous, 10, Nelson 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4

Start good. Won easily. Time—1:50.5.

Early Eve and Hum were the pace-makers, followed by Golden Cottage and Bous. They held this order to the turn, where Numerical, who was practically left at the post, closed up on the leaders. The Regent began to show up ground at this point and when they swung into the stretch there was a general closing. Early Eve won by a head. The Regent came through and joined Early Eve, but could not quite get up to the latter. Early Eve won by a head. The Regent was three lengths in front of Numerical.

SIXTH RACE—Five and a half furlongs.
Won by Stamping Ground. Midland Lake was second and Pearl Diver third.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Forecast for the thirty-six hours ending at 8 P. M. Sunday for New York City and vicinity: Occasional rains to-night; Sunday showers, followed by clearing; light to fresh variable winds, mostly east to south.

Who Pay Personal Taxes

And who do not. Some light on this in a list of a couple of thousand instances taken from the recently completed tax list of this city. See tomorrow's New York Times. Order to-day.

Newport Excursion, Sunday, July 20, via Long Island R. R. and steamer from Greenport. See Excursion Column.

MRS. LATIMER IS SHADOWED BY THE POLICE

Widow of Murdered Man Kept Under Close Surveillance—Royal Arcanum Detective Promises Arrests.

Brooklyn detectives are keeping Mrs. Albert C. Latimer under close surveillance. Sleuths follow her wherever she goes.

There were two detectives nearby when the widow visited the home in which the tragedy occurred. She was alone, and the veil which she has worn over her face since her husband died was raised, and she nodded to acquaintances whom she met near the house. She remained in the house about twenty minutes. WHEN SHE LEFT SHE WAS FOLLOWED BY TWO DETECTIVES, WHO BOARDED A HALSEY STREET CAR WITH HER.

It was announced late this afternoon that arrests might be expected any moment in the Latimer case. THESE ARRESTS WILL BE IN SUPPORT OF THE BURGLAR THEORY, SO STRONGLY MAINTAINED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY.

Three young men are under surveillance. They are members of the notorious Bedford section gang, which was exposed at the time the Florence Burns case was under investigation.

One of these three men is known to ride a bicycle. He is known to have had previous to the Latimer shooting a silk cap, shoes and a lamp similar to those left by the murderer in the Latimer home.

These three men knew Latimer, but the one who rides a bicycle knew him and his family well. They had first met in a bowling alley, where Latimer and his wife and friends bowled. The bicycle rider was invited to the Latimer home. He and his companions KNEW THAT LATIMER WAS A COLLECTOR AND THAT HE OFTEN KEPT LARGE SUMS OF MONEY IN THE HOUSE OVER NIGHT. The Latimers were not acquainted with the reputation of the three suspects.

READY TO ASK WARRANTS FOR THREE NEW SUSPECTS.

Detective Henry Morrison, employed by the Royal Arcanum, for which Latimer was collector, to work on the case, says that he is almost ready to ask for warrants for the arrests of three young men.

They belong to respectable families but through evil associations have learned how to live and dress well and spend money without having to work for it.

Through meeting them at the bowling alleys the Latimers believed them to be industrious and respectable young men. They knew nothing of their real character or their intentions and did not know that they were members of the notorious Bedford section gang.

Detective Morrison has been working on this part of the case for ten days. He says that he is now practically certain he is on the right track.

The young man who rides the bicycle has kept away from the Latimer home and away from the police since the shooting, but Morrison says that should he ask for warrants he will know where to find him and his companions.

MORRISON CAUSED SEVERAL PERSONS WHO HAD SEEN THE SILK CAP AND SHOES AND LAMP OWNED BY THE SUSPECT TO LOOK AT THE ARTICLES FOUND IN THE LATIMER HOME. IT IS SAID THAT THEIR IDENTIFICATION OF THEM IS COMPLETE.

Saw Man Flee on Bicycle.

Charles H. Zinn, a produce dealer, living at No. 365 Jefferson avenue,

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NAVAL FIRE IN PROGRESS OFF HARBOR OF PANAMA.

Insurgent and Government Gunboats in Battle—Castro's Expedition Fails.

PANAMA, Colombia, July 19.—The insurgent gunboats Padilla and Darien appeared last night between Farieno and Otique Islands. Gov. Salazar thereupon ordered the Government gunboats Chucuito and Claret to put to sea and meet them.

Heavy cannonading is taking place at this hour, 10 A. M. The United States Special Service steamer Ranger is coming into the bay.

Great alarm prevails in this city. The intrenchments are full of soldiers.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Minister Bowen, at Caracas, has cabled the State Department as follows: "The President of Venezuela has abandoned the idea of attacking the enemy at Barcelona, and is proposing to return to Caracas soon."

President Castro's attempt to Barcelona, which was partially invested by the revolutionists about ten days ago, landing from a Government warship and asserting that he would clear out the rebels within fifteen days. He had a considerable force of soldiers with him. It is known that he is unable to remain in Caracas by land owing to the presence between himself and the capital of revolutionary forces, and he must return by water, as he came.

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